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For:	Method and Apparatus for	§	Confirmation No.: 4125
	Performing Rapid Isotopic	§	
	Analysis Via Laser Spectroscopy	§	

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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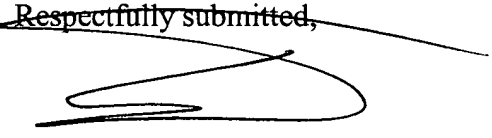
In accordance with 37 CFR §1.97, §1.98, applicant is providing herewith copies of the supplementary items listed on the attached U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Form PTO 1449. If this application was filed prior to June 30, 2003, a copy of each publication listed on Form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith. This information is supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statements and Form PTO 1449s filed in the above-referenced case on April 21, 2003, August 18, 2003 and September 24, 2003.

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It is submitted that the art cited does not constitute a bar to the patentability of Applicants' invention under 35 U.S.C. § 102 or § 103.

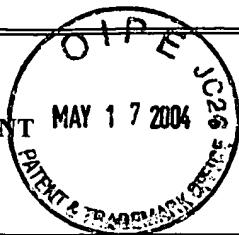
Because an Office Action has been entered in this case, this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed under C.F.R. 1.97(c). Applicant hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge Deposit Account 03-2769 of Conley Rose, P.C. the amount of \$180 so that this Information Disclosure Statement may be considered

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	AB	Becker et al., <i>Stable Isotope Analysis Using Tunable Diode Laser Spectroscopy</i> , Applied Optics, April 20, 1992, Vol. 31, No. 12, pp. 1921-1927

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